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SUBJ: BULK GRAIN LOME - AMERICAN CONDOR

REF: A) CHARGER PARTY - ADDENDUM NO 1, JUNE 4, 1974

B) CHARTER PARTY AGREEMENT, 26 APRIL 1974

1. DISPUTE HAS ARISEN HERE BETWEEN SACOTRA, FORWARDER FOR AID, AND SOCOPAO, AGENT FOR AMERICAN CONDOR, AS TO WHO IS RESPONSIBLE FOR PAYING OVERTIME CHARGES TO CUSTOMS OFFICIALS WHO WORKED ROUND THE CLOCK WHILE CONDOR UNLOADED. CUSTOMS REPORTEDLY HOLDING 30 TRUCKS LOADED WITH CONDOR SORGHUM AND WILL RELEASE ONLY WITH OVERTIME PAYMENT.

2. REF (B), PARA 25 MENTIONS DAKAR, TEMA AND APAPA BUT NOT LOME REF (A) HAS NO SPECIFIC REFERENCE TO OVERTIME PAYMENT. AIDOFF INTERPRETS REF (A) STATEMENT THAT ALL OTHER TERMS OF ORIGINAL CHARTER PARTY ARE UNCHANGED TO MEAN THAT OVERTIME AT LOME, AS IT WOULD HAVE BEEN FOR TEMA, IS FOR ACCOUNT OF RECEIVERS. ACCORDINGLY, AIDOFF AUTHORIZED SACOTRA TO PAY THIS CHARGE TO ALLOW RELEASE OF LOADED TRUCKS.

3. PLEASE CONFIRM CORRECTNESS OF FOREGOING CHARTER PARTY

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